

## **ABSTRACT**

This invention provides, in non-limiting embodiments, novel preparations of chelating agents encapsulated in micelles or liposomes comprising the triple combination of: 1) micelles or liposomes comprising alpha lipoic acid or a derivative thereof and 2) micelles or liposomes comprising a chelating agent, such as EDTA; and furthermore, in different embodiments, optionally 3) magnesium chloride. The micelles or liposomes may be comprised of what have been termed "essential phospholipids".